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THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re PATENT application of:

Shunpei YAMAZAKI et al.

Application No.: 09/235,770

Filed: January 25, 1999

For: SEMICONDUCTOR DEVICE
AND METHOD FOR FORMING
THE SAME

) Art Unit: 2813

) Examiner: L. Schillinger

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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

March 7, 2001

Sir:

It is requested that the time to take action in the above matter be extended for the time period indicated below:

TIME REQUESTED	FEE
<input type="checkbox"/> 1 month	<input type="checkbox"/> \$ 110.00
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[X] The above-noted fee is [X] attached, [] to be charged to Deposit Account No. 19-2380, under the above order number.

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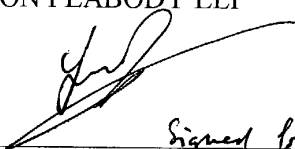
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- [X] Document(s) Attached: [X] Transmittal Letter; Information Disclosure Statement with PTO-1449 Form, and References; and [X] Amendment with Verified English Translations of Priority Documents JP 4-113027 and JP 4-124324.
- [X] ° The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be further required in this application, except the issue fee, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 19-2380 (740756-1914), under the above order number. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

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